A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Donna Miller on being named "Teacher of the Year".

WHEREAS, it is only fitting that the members of this General Assembly recognize those special persons who dedicate themselves to one of our most important professions, teaching, and who, through their knowledge, effective skills and love of young people have shaped the leaders of tomorrow; and

WHEREAS, Donna Miller is one such remarkable citizen whose exceptional work as a kindergarten teacher at Sevierville Primary School has not gone unnoticed; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller was recently named Sevier County's elementary school "Teacher of the Year" for her outstanding performance and wonderful contributions to education; and

WHEREAS, this honor brings distinction to herself, to Sevierville Primary School and the entire community; and

WHEREAS, she will represent Sevierville Primary School in the district competition for "Teacher of the Year"; and

WHEREAS, after teaching for over twenty years, Donna Miller has gained valuable experience in the teaching profession; and

WHEREAS, serving with distinction, unparalleled devotion and genuine concern, she has earned the respect and esteem of her students, fueling her thirst for knowledge and inspiring them to strive for the achievement of their full potential; and

WHEREAS, aside from teaching the basics, Ms. Miller encourages the study of foreign languages and exposes her students to other cultures as well; and

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WHEREAS, Donna Miller's family, friends and community are quite proud of the fine example of academic and professional excellence that she has provided; and

WHEREAS, it is not often that a community is blessed with such a truly talented and giving educator as Donna Miller who, through her dedication to the profession she loves, has had an extraordinary influence on Tennessee's most precious resource, its young people; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby honor and congratulate Ms. Donna Miller on being named the "Teacher of the Year" and salute her profound devotion to her students and community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we wish Ms. Miller continued success in all future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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